

U. C. T. Election Held.

Officers for the coming year were elected and installed Saturday evening at the meeting of the Norfolk council No. 120, as follows:

Senior counselor, E. E. Miller; junior counselor, F. L. Cummings; past counselor, C. L. Chaffee; secretary, treasurer, George H. Spear; conductor, S. A. Erskine; page, M. W. Beebe; sentinel, F. D. Lowry; delegates to the Grand Council at Beatrice in May—C. L. Chaffee, E. E. Miller and F. H. Beels; alternates—C. H. Taylor, E. C. Engle and A. E. Chambers; executive committee for two years—H. M. Culbertson, William W. DeHart; for one year, J. F. Dunhaver and Samuel H. Anderson.

Working on Y. M. C. A.

Work has begun on the interior of the Y. M. C. A. building. About a dozen local carpenters started operations in the interior of the building yesterday. The partitions are being constructed, but how long this work is to continue is not known. The carpenters now at work are donating their services to the cause and are taking advantage of the slump in their regular work. The building rush will soon be on.

There is now \$11,000 in the fund as the result of the snowball campaign. About \$4,800 of this amount is pledged on condition that \$15,000 is raised by April 1. The actual amount of money collected during the tag day campaign is \$170.

The solicitors held a joint meeting with the executive committee in the Commercial club rooms. Hereafter on Tuesday and Friday of each week the Y. M. C. A. workers are scheduled to meet in the club rooms to discuss the proposition of raising the remaining \$4,000.

H. A. Allen a Candidate.

Atkinson, Neb., March 18.—Special to The News: H. A. Allen of this city filed for the nomination at the primaries in April as State Senator in the Twenty-fourth district, ride up of Boyd, Garfield, Holt, Kneba and Wheeler counties. Mr. Allen is one of the early settlers in this section of the state and is well known in political circles, having served several times in the lower house of the state legislature. His last service being in the last legislature.

Threatened His Wife?

Neligh, Neb., March 18.—Special to The News: Ed Rasmussen was arrested Saturday night by Sheriff Bennett, Chief of Police Nichols and Officer Jackson, for drunk and disorderly conduct, and was taken to the Antelope county jail where he will remain until some time today. According to the officers, Mrs. Rasmussen stated that her husband was cruelly treating his horses, and she remonstrated in his actions. She says that he threatened her with a pitchfork and chased her around the barn. The officers say that the wife will file charges against him.

Emerson Woman a Victim.

St. Louis, Mo., March 18.—Mrs. Elizabeth A. Webster of Emerson, Neb., testifying in the trial of E. G. Lewis in the United States district court on charges of using the mails to defraud, said she invested \$12,120 in the Lewis Publishing company's 7 percent notes. Of these \$900 were of the unsecured issue. She also bought \$120 of the preferred stock. All she ever received in return, she said, was \$3.

MONDAY MENTIONS.

M. F. Harrington of O'Neill was here.

D. Mathewson went to Wakefield on business.

R. M. Peyton of Creighton was here on business.

William Zutz of Hoskins was here transacting business.

W. C. Roland and A. Bucholz returned from Omaha.

Eugene Crook of Winner was here transacting business.

A regular meeting of the city council will be held this evening.

H. M. Snyder, one of the prominent traveling salesmen, has just accepted Earl Ransom, who has been suffering from an attack of tonsillitis is able to be out.

Miss Audrey Elliott and Mrs. Mary Palmer of Sioux City are the guests of Mrs. Palmer's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wenrick.

D. J. Sheehan of Ogden, Utah, spent Sunday with George Williams.

Mrs. Henrietta Bretinger returned to her home at West Point after several weeks visit here with her sister, Mrs. Louise Asmus.

The regular spring vacation of a week is being enjoyed by state university students. Among those in Norfolk are: Louis Logan, Gladys Weaver, Susan Gillette, Donald Mapes, Edwin Macy, Donald and Charles Bridge.

Harry Witt, who has been laid up in his home at South Norfolk almost the entire winter, will be able to be back to work in about two weeks.

Miss Susana Kippenbrock of Omaha, formerly contest clerk in the land office at Gregory, has accepted a position as stenographer in the Norfolk National bank.

O. J. Steffen has resigned his position as bookkeeper with the Norfolk Long Distance Telephone company and has accepted a position in the Davis cigar store.

R. D. Speece has been promoted to the agency of the Standard Oil company at Emerson, Neb. Ray Benish succeeds Mr. Speece in the Standard Oil company's employ here.

The following democrats have been elected as the city central committee: First ward, Art J. Koenigstein; Second ward, Carl Wilde; Third ward, August Kaun; Fourth ward, Fred W. Koerber.

A position with Lindeke, Warner & Sons, a St. Paul dry goods house. For the past nine years Mr. Snyder has

represented a St. Joseph house. His friends will be glad to know that he continues in this territory.

District Commercial Manager M. J. Sanders of the Nebraska Telephone company went to Minneapolis to attend a joint convention of Nebraska and northwestern district telephone managers. Mr. Sanders is scheduled to discuss a paper on "Local Connections."

Dr. C. S. Parker returned from Omaha where he went to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the state dental association. The meeting was held to arrange for the next annual meeting of the association. Dr. Parker is chairman of the executive committee.

The funeral of E. G. Heilman, the usher of the state penitentiary who was killed by three convicts last week, took place at Lincoln Monday. Among the Norfolk friends and relatives attending the funeral are: Mrs. Mary Leubeke, Miss Libbe Heilman, Ben Heckendorf, Miss Laura Heckendorf, C. L. Huntley, a civil engineer of Oklahoma, who has been associated with City Engineer H. H. Tracy for the past six months, has filed for the nomination for county engineer at Madison. Mr. Huntley is a republican. He came to Norfolk from Oklahoma where he has been doing surveying on a large scale.

One of the tramps taken from freight trains by the authorities this morning was Mike Murphy, the tramp with whom Detective Peter Jolly had a desperate fight in the dispatcher's office at South Norfolk last summer. Murphy was well dressed and refused to recognize any of the other tramps taken from the trains. He declared he was traveling alone. All of the men were ordered out of town after they were examined by Sheriff Smith.

Among the day's out-of-town visitors in Norfolk were: R. M. Peyton, Creighton; G. W. Hackler, Winner; A. R. York, Atkinson; Thomas J. Malone, Enola; Minnie Reeves, Madison; M. C. Beck, Dallas; Todd Hoover, Battle Creek; F. R. Kellogg, Elgin; T. J. Sleschta, Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Davis, Madison; R. Kucak, Foster; E. M. Barber, Plainview; Fred Smith, Winslow; D. A. Nyspelt, Neligh; P. J. Mullen, Fairfax; Ludwig Horst, Fairfax.

Seven tramps were rounded up Monday morning in railroad yards by Sheriff C. S. Smith and Constable John Flynn, who are not taking any chances in allowing the three Lincoln murderers to escape through Norfolk. The tramps were taken from a freight train which the train crew stopped in the city after a little trouble with the travelers who refused to get off the train. Sheriff Smith has the official descriptions of the three murderers and a diligent search is being made throughout this part of the country for the men.

Funeral of Mrs. S. G. Dean.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Silas G. Dean took place at 2:30 Sunday afternoon in First Methodist church. Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick had charge of the services. Interment was made in Prospect Hill cemetery where the Order of Eastern Star had charge of the burial services. The pallbearers were: E. J. Rix, R. C. Simmons, John Lynde, Sr., E. B. Taylor, C. J. Hibben, G. Halverstein.

Martha L. Spaulding was born in Wataga, Ill., Aug. 30, 1856. On Feb. 27, 1873, she was united in wedlock to Silas R. Dean, in the town of her birth. To this union two sons were born, Willis E. and Harry L. Willis died on March 19, 1896, and Harry died on Nov. 12, 1905. Mr. and Mrs. Dean lived in Illinois until 1878 when they moved to Kansas. On March 20, 1882, they came to Norfolk and have lived here ever since.

A few months ago, Mrs. Dean with her husband went to California for a few months' sojourn. Last Sunday afternoon she suffered a stroke of paralysis from which attack she never recovered. She passed away peacefully at 10:40 last Thursday night. Besides her husband, two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Hipsey of Canton and Mrs. Hattie Powell of Thompson, Ia., are left to mourn her loss. Mrs. Dean became a member of the Methodist church twenty-five years ago and has been a faithful church worker all her life. Her death is deeply mourned by many Norfolk people.

Among the relatives present at the funeral were Mrs. Addie Powell, Thompson, Ia., a sister of Mrs. Dean; S. J. Whitehead, of Kansas City, a nephew of Mr. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Alberry of Omaha were also present.

Man is Shot at a Dance.

Pierce, Neb., March 18.—Special to The News: Fred Chrisman, aged 20, living a mile and a half northeast of McLean, Neb., has a bullet in his hip as a result of a row at a dance in McLean Saturday night. Frank Emmick of Randolph is in jail at Pierce, for the shooting.

Four young men drove from Randolph to McLean for the dance. They were: Ray Jones, Clifford Snyder, Vernie Snyder and Frank Emmick. A quarrel arose and these four, with a squad of McLean young men, withdrew from the hall where a fight started. Frank Emmick opened fire on the McLean crowd, shooting three bullets at them.

The Randolph crowd then ran to their team and drove home. Sheriff Goff arrested Emmick at Randolph yesterday morning. Emmick did not know till arrested that he had shot anybody. He had in his overcoat pocket a 22-caliber revolver with a barrel about a foot long.

The cause of the row is not known. Emmick's parents live in Minnesota. He has been working on a farm near Hartington.

Trouble Began Friday.

Randolph, Neb., March 18.—Special to The News: As a culmination of a

series of drunken brawls and fights at McLean Friday and Saturday, a number of men are nursing sore heads, black eyes and other bruises, and Fred Chrisman is under the doctor's care with a bullet in his hip. On Friday, about forty men, under the influence of liquor, engaged in a free-for-all fight in which beer bottles, fists and other implements were freely used, with more or less damaging results to the participants.

On Saturday night at the close of a dance, another fight was started on the street between parties who were still nursing a grudge from the affairs of the day before. While a large crowd was gathered about watching the contest, Frank Emmick, standing at a distance, drew his revolver and fired three shots into the crowd, one of which struck Fred Chrisman in the hip. Dr. Kerley was summoned at once and probed for the bullet but was not able to locate it. The wound is a very serious one but the patient is in no immediate danger.

Sheriff Goff, of Pierce and Constable J. F. Carroll, of Randolph, were on the scene early Sunday morning and located the guilty party at the Snyder farm between McLean and Randolph. He was arrested and taken to Pierce at once where he will await trial.

Sugar Drops 10 Cents.

New York, March 18.—All grades of refined sugar were reduced 10 cents a hundred pounds today.

South Norfolk.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wolfe, Saturday, a son.

Mrs. Guy Pickler and two children left for Lynch a few days ago, to remain while her parents are in Ft. Pierre, having received a message of the dangerous illness of their daughter, in a hospital there.

Miss Lenore Moolick arrived home from Omaha last evening where she spent the past 10 days with Miss Irene Cronmeyer.

Mrs. Wolfe of Battle Creek visited at the home of her son, W. B. Wolfe, between trains Saturday evening.

Frank Kroehler and William Roese left for Bonesteel yesterday to set a fire on an engine.

Ed Hyde stopped off here yesterday for a brief visit at the home of his parents, enroute from California to Missouri Valley, where he is working in the C. & N. shops.

William Block of Verdigris, was here yesterday while on his way home from the western part of the state.

Cannon Ball Roberts Here.

The men who used to hold spell bound thousands of persons each year by lifting fifteen men, juggling cannon balls and supporting tons of weight, is in Norfolk. "Prof." Roberts, as he has been known to every circusgoer of the country, is scheduled for a "turn" at the Auditorium, on which he has been rehearsing for over four years, during which he has experienced some narrow escapes.

Roberts has been with circuses ever since he was 16 years old. He has traveled all over the continent with Barnum & Bailey, Ringling Bros., Forepaugh, Sells and almost every other well known circus in this country.

"No, I have not quit the circus," said Roberts to a News man today. "I have a new turn which seems to take with the public and while the animals are getting ready to leave winter quarters I am giving the public a new one."

Roberts is contracting with a vaudeville circuit for several months. A 3,300 automobile runs over him; stops on top of him as he lies prostrate on the floor and starts and runs off again while his big muscles remain tense. All this without the slightest pain to Roberts. Five men are seated in the machine and he does not protest if more passengers are added to the list. His first turn in Norfolk is to be pulled off tonight in the Auditorium.

Recently Roberts suffered injuries to his neck because he allowed a 2,000 pound machine to drive over that part of his bulky frame. This accident happened at St. Louis and he declares the soreness is all gone and he would not mind trying it over again.

"I am doing this to develop my muscles," said Roberts. "It keeps them in good form and I don't let the machine run over any part of my body where there are no muscles."

Roberts then displayed his bulky ankles where a machine had "skidded," damaging somewhat the flesh. "That's one reason why I like to have them run over my muscles instead," he explained. The car has often skidded over my body when I had a strange driver." Herbert King is to drive the car tonight.

Roberts is well known in athletic circles of the entire country. He was with Gutch and Jeffries on road work and he has had confidential chats with pugilists who say Flynn will give Johnson a surprise and maybe a defeat when these two men meet.

Vandal Enter Dederman Home.

While the family were in town Saturday afternoon, unknown persons entered the farm house of Oscar Dederman, near Norfolk, and did considerable damage to the furniture. The piano was besmeared with plum butter, flour was emptied on the stairway, a china closet was broken and other damage done. What the motive for the vandalism was, has not been learned.

J. Baum Hurt.

J. Baum is suffering from two fractured ribs as the result of being run down by a Cottage Grove car on the corner of Wabash avenue and Monroe street in Chicago last Wednesday. Besides the injuries to his

ribs, Mr. Baum received a slight injury behind the ear. Mr. Baum had just returned from a visit to a hospital where a sick relative was confined. He got off the car and was passing across the tracks behind it, at the same time taking notice of an approaching wagon. Before he crossed the tracks a car on the same line coming in an opposite direction, struck him. He returned home and is in the care of a physician.

Dr. F. L. Frink up for Congress. Dr. F. L. Frink of Newman Grove, candidate for the republican nomination for congress in the Third Nebraska district, was in Norfolk Monday.

It was reported last week that Dr. Frink was a candidate for state representative, but this was in error. It is the congressional race that Dr. Frink has entered.

Dr. Frink is considered a strong candidate and it is believed he would give Congressman Stevens a hard race. Joe Cook of Fremont is the only other republican who has filed.

The Milwaukee Into Norfolk? Omaha Bee: The report from Chicago announcing that during the next year the Milwaukee Railroad company will spend \$15,000,000 on new work and in improving its roadbed is taken to mean much for Omaha.

The next work in view and which is said to mean more for Omaha than either of the others, is the building of a line through Nebraska to the northwest. It is also said that the work will be commenced this spring or summer.

People who claim to know, say that the right-of-way from Omaha to Norfolk, secured last summer by the Nebraska Traction company, will be turned over to the Milwaukee and that the road will be built on this survey. From one source the report comes that from Norfolk the Milwaukee will build to Yankton, there connecting with its Jim river line, which runs to Aberdeen and there connecting with the Puget sound line. The other report is that after leaving Norfolk the line will run northwest, tapping the Chamberlain branch and going over it to Rapid City and thence north through the western tier of counties of South Dakota to a point on the Puget sound line not yet determined.

Claims Rosebud is For Egan.

Fairfax, S. D., March 15.—Editor News: I am, George W. Egan of Sioux Falls, candidate for governor on the republican ticket in the state of South Dakota, spoke to a large and enthusiastic audience in this city, it being the largest crowd that ever assembled in this city at a political meeting.

Mr. Egan is a very forceful and convincing speaker, and the large audience present gave him their closest attention for one hour and forty-five minutes.

Mr. Egan will carry the Rosebud country at the June primary by a large majority.

A News Reader.

Steam Rollers. New York Herald: Here is the Roosevelt committee again resorting to old fashioned methods. This time it is the voice of the colonel himself, calling out in the wilderness for direct primaries, even though there should be a late spring, and summoning heaven to witness that the Taft machine is using patronage against him in the south, even though the negro troopers at Brownsville were disbanded. Somehow it seems to have the sad ring of the cry of the hard loser.

It makes all the difference where you are driving it or are in front of it. The colonel has driven the "steam roller" so often that he cannot get used to the experience when somebody else drives. He saw it go over Frank Black in 1898. He saw it go over everybody in the Hanna old guard in 1904. He saw it go over Messrs. Foraker, Cannon, La Follette, Knox and Fairbanks in 1908. He drove it over Mr. Barnes and all his friends at Saratoga in 1910. "Did that country jay buy the watch?" asked one of the light fingered gentry of another at the county fair. "Sure he did," was the reply, "and he paid me in counterfeit money; and when I called the constable he proved to be a friend of the jay and I had to give the money back, too. But he kept the watch."

Caesar Was Ambitious. Fremont Tribune: No longer than a year ago last fall at the New York state convention a dictagraph hanging in the convention hall at Saratoga recorded a warm approval of the president's record by the colonel in his address to the embattled republicans there and then in session. The colonel had accepted the chairmanship of the convention which he had compelled the delegates to "tender" him. He approved of Mr. Taft's work. He did it in no uncertain manner. He found his warrant for it in the things that had been actually achieved. It was logical and natural that he should do at the time just what he did. He took advantage of the situation in the way he knows so well how to do.

Again, the colonel is game enough to declare that he will support the nominee, no matter whom he may be. There is no possibility of its being other than himself or Mr. Taft and little probability of it being other than Mr. Taft.

A fair analysis of this situation justifies the conclusion that the candidacy of Mr. Roosevelt is not warranted. We had his endorsement of the Taft administration only a year ago last fall. Now we have his declared purpose to stand by Taft if the latter be nominated. A good record deserves this treatment, and the

colonel has shown discrimination with respect to it. If he really believed the record a failure he has stultified himself in endorsing it and pledging support if he himself fails. Only a bad record would warrant the colonel's candidacy. Ambition leads many a man to disregard logic and consistency. Caesar was ambitious, and his old friend Brutus handed him his final reply.

Dogs Being Poisoned.

South Fifth street residents owning valuable dogs are up in arms over the recent dog poisoning campaign on the part of some malicious persons in that neighborhood. Several of the dog owners have visited local drug stores endeavoring to discover purchasers of poison with which the dogs have been poisoned within the last few days. James Gray is the loser of two fine bird dogs; Earl Perry's pretty pet dog and a valuable dog owned by Paul Bankraht are among the victims.

SHOE NOTES.

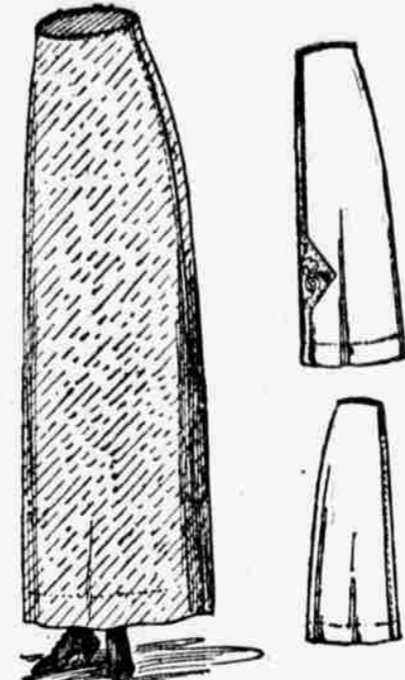
Black and White Footwear the Smart Spring Fad.

Some of the smartest of the new kid low cut shoes have white uppers, but shiny black heels and a mere line of black kid about the top.

An ultra smart model has the vamp of soft plush black and the uppers—side and back—of white.

The black heel will be seen on some of the white canvas and buckskin shoes in place of the tan or white covered heel.

The two piece skirt is a pronounced favorite. It gives the seamless effect at front and back that is so much liked, it is simple and easily made, and it



MODISH TWO PIECE SKIRT. has, indeed, almost every advantage to commend it. This one can be made with pointed extensions on the front that lap into the back and form a novel trimming or plain, just as preferred.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

This May Manton pattern is cut in sizes for misses of fourteen, sixteen and eighteen years of age. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number, 722, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. If in haste send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage, which insures more prompt delivery. When ordering use coupon.

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AS TO A THIRD TERM.

Brooklyn Eagle: On June 11, 1901, William McKinley, who had been elected for a second term and who had been urged by some republican leaders to stand for a third term, made the following announcement to the people through the newspapers, and himself handed it to the Washington correspondent of the Eagle that day:

Executive Mansion, Washington, D. C., June 10, 1901.—I regret that the suggestion of a third term has been made. I doubt whether I am called upon to give to it notice, but there are new questions of the gravest importance before the administration and the country, and their just consideration should not be prejudiced in the public mind by even the suspicion of the thought of a third term.

In view, therefore, of the reiteration of the suggestion of it, I will now say, once and for all, expressing a long settled conviction, that I not only am not and will not be a candidate for a third term, but I would not accept a nomination for it if it were tendered to me.

My only ambition is to serve through my second term to the acceptance of my countrymen, whose generous confidence I so deeply appreciate, and then with them to do my duty in the ranks of private citizenship.

William McKinley. In September, 1901, following this statement of June 10, 1901, President McKinley was assassinated and Vice President Theodore Roosevelt entered on his first term as president. After his election to a second term, in 1904, President Roosevelt issued his two renunciations of a third term. . . . None of these extracts needs any more comment than they make of themselves to any candid and intelligent mind.

President McKinley went to his grave loved, lamented, trusted, honored and, we hope, not yet forgotten. Mr. Roosevelt has brought himself to the observation of the country with the results which the speech of men is not withholding from expression at this time.

nomination of ex-President Cleveland for another presidential term. This elicited a letter from Mr. Cleveland dated at Princeton, November 25, 1903, in which, after expressing his surprise at such advocacy, as well as his appreciation of the complimentary responses it had evoked, he said: "In the midst of it all, and in full view of every consideration presented, I have not for a moment been able nor am I now able, to open my mind to the thought that in any circumstances or upon any consideration, I should ever again become the nominee of my party for the presidency. My determination not to do so is unalterable and conclusive. This you, at least, ought to know from me; and I should be glad if the Eagle were made the medium of its conveyance to the public."

SOUTH DAY TA AT A GLANCE.

The Cheyenne river is out of its banks and doing a small amount of damage at various points along its course.

Mrs. Ellen Clifford, aged 76, an insane woman, held the officers away from her home near Highmore for two weeks with two loaded shotguns. She was captured through the delivery of a fake telegram.

At a special meeting of the citizens of Watertown a special committee which had been previously appointed reported a comprehensive endorsement of the commission plan of government. A vote may be taken on the question this year.

The annual state convention of the Y. M. C. A. is in session at Huron. Many prominent men from various parts of the state are in attendance.

What is believed to be the head of the last buffalo known to have existed in South Dakota is on exhibition at Rapid City. It belongs to an Indian.

G. C. Clausen of Armour was arrested and fined \$50 on a charge of conducting a pharmacy without the proper state pharmacy license.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the home of John Smith of Yankton. Mr. Smith was at Fordyce, Neb., on business at the time.

A bill has been introduced in congress to increase the pension of L. S. Hyde of Gettysburg to \$72 per month. He is blind and helpless.

C. W. Rohrer, chief of police at Pierre, has gone to San Francisco in charge of Lyle Wardell, a deserter from the United States navy.

The commissioners of Sully county have authorized the purchase by the county of 25,000 bushels of seed grain to be distributed to the farmers.

A number of townships in Stanley and Lyman counties built dams on section lines across ravines where found and as a result an enormous reserve supply of water for stock and irrigation has been stored up.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held in Mitchell attended a good roads convention called by the Mitchell Commercial club.

The Aberdeen Industrial league is planning to hold a home products show some time next month. A good list of exhibits is already promised.

A fight against tuberculosis among the pupils of the government Indian school at the Cheyenne agency has begun. Those affected will be given separate quarters.

A scientific experiment farm may be established in Brown county. Business men of Aberdeen and other towns are backing the move and it is expected that work will begin this season.

The Milwaukee railway will carry the case of C. B. Kennedy of Canton, who recovered double damages for the destruction of his hay crop by fire, to the supreme court to test the validity of the law permitting "double damages."

The militia companies of the state are being put through a rigid inspection on account of the possibility of their being sent to the Mexican border.

Permission has been granted to the Rapid river irrigation and reservoir committee of Rapid City to use the waters of Castle creek for the irrigation of 35,000 acres of land.

Michael Moffit of Centerville, plead guilty to shooting and seriously wounding Night Marshal Soren Johnson, and was sentenced to an indeterminate sentence with a limit of five years.

The Watertown Herald has been sold to C. H. Gunhus, by the Eastwood brothers.

A booster club at Sisseton has raised \$6,000 toward the building of an interstate highway through that town.

The Hartford Life Insurance company of Hartford, Conn., has finally been granted permission to do business in South Dakota.

Firebugs set fire to the lumber mill and sheds at Sturgis, causing a damage of \$2,000.

The Meade County bank at Sturgis closed last fall by the state bank examiner, is again doing business.

After a search for one year, Charles Gordon, wanted in Sioux Falls for forgery, was arrested at Peoria, Ill.

Gov. Vessey has reappointed F. H. Steward of Buffalo Gap, a member of the state live stock sanitary board.

Gov. Vessey heads the list of La Follette-Roosevelt progressive delegates to the republican national convention.

Lem Winter, a barber of Alpena, died at a Mitchell hospital from injuries sustained when he jumped from a moving train.

Fire nearly destroyed the town of Buffalo, near Belle Fourche, in the midst of a storm. Damage of \$30,000 was incurred.

Miss Lillian Putnam, employed in the Martin factory at Aberdeen, attempted to commit suicide by taking carbolic acid. She had formerly served a term in the Plankinton reformatory.

Many irrigation projects are being started in the western part of the state in order that they may be ready for the coming season.

The numbering of the houses in Vermillion has been completed and a

system of free mail delivery will be installed within a short time.

An attempt to start a second business college at Watertown has resulted in a lively scrap in which some of the newspapers are taking an active part.

Butte county was the first to respond to the call for state taxes and turned in almost 40 percent of the total due from that county for the entire year.

The Cheyenne river is to be bridged at several points in Pennington county this summer. The county commissioners will issue \$35,000 worth of bonds for this purpose.